

Irma Hears Prov. C. C. F. Leader

C.C.F. MEETING ATTENDED BY
LARGE CROWD AT IRMA

On Monday evening, March 4, Hedley's hall was crowded to the doors when around 200 people of the Irma district gathered to hear Mr. Chester A. Ronning, provincial leader of the C.C.F., explain his party's platform.

Mr. Ronning had been speaking at Coar in the afternoon and arrived at Irma just in time for the meeting and in the rush had failed to get himself any supper, but in spite of that fact he held his audience for an hour and a half with the grip of a master orator that he is.

While the crowd were still settling themselves back in their chairs to be comfortable, the speaker amused them with stories of his own life and experiences. But when he felt that he had introduced himself, he announced that his business was not to amuse the gathering but of a far more serious nature, that of explaining the way out of the troubles that Alberta finds itself in today. He said that it was necessary to acquire public ownership of all Alberta's natural resources and industries, that if private owned could become a monopoly. In this category he placed the gas and oil wells, electric power and packing plants.

He strongly denied the accusation laid against the C.C.F. that it is their wish and intention to socialize all private owned property, but to the contrary it is the desire of all true C.C.F. members that every one should own their own home.

He said that if the C.C.F. were asked to form the next government they would abolish the social service tax and leave the field of land taxation to the municipality.

He commended Mr. Aberhart as minister of education but stressed the point that he could not produce the

Obituary.

The death took place in the Viking hospital on February 29 of Margaret Dick, of Jarow, Alberta, after a long illness.

The funeral service was held in the Jarow United Church Monday afternoon, March 4 with Rev. E. Longmire of Irma in charge, and interment was made in the Jarow cemetery.

The deceased is survived by her husband, Harry Charles Dick and their son at home, a sister, Mrs. Matthews of Vancouver, and a brother, Mr. Heron of Jarow. A large number of neighbors and friends from the village and community attended the funeral to pay their tribute of respect and sympathy.

The Ladies Aid play is away to a good start, and a possible date is set for April 10. So right now would be a good time to put a ring around that date on the calendar, and watch for further particulars.

Social Credit government for they had failed to fulfill any of the promises made by them at the last election.

He said the present government had not instituted social credit in 18 months as promised and furthermore they could not do it 18 years as they have not the power.

He advised his hearers that when they go to the polls on March 21 to mark their ballot to start at the bottom for the C.C.F. always believes in laying a good foundation.

At question period many questions were asked and answered in a very satisfactory manner. The meeting closed with singing God Save the King.

The comment around town is to the effect that to most people this meeting stands out as one of the best and cleanest of this kind ever held in Irma.

Rev. R.W. Griffiths Laid to Rest

UNITED CHURCH MINISTER
CALLED BY DEATH

On Tues. morning, February 27, Rev. Robert W. Griffiths of Jarow passed away in the University hospital, Edmonton, after a brief illness.

Mr. Griffiths was born in Carnarvonshire in Wales, in the year 1868, and at the age of 19 emigrated to Wisconsin, U.S.A. Being determined to obtain an education he worked his way through district school and obtained his entrance to Ripon College, Wis., from which he received his B.A. degree in 1903. From Ripon College he entered the McCormick Theological Seminary, Chicago, and upon graduation in 1908 was ordained to the ministry of the Presbyterian Church by the Pembina Presbytery of North Dakota where he commenced his ministry and the same year, Aug. 23rd, was united in marriage to Bertha Mae Bell of Kansas.

In 1909 Mr. and Mrs. Griffiths emigrated to Canada and the following year Mr. Griffiths was received by the McLeod presbytery into the Presbyterian Church of Canada. For many years his ministry was confined to southern Alberta. In 1925 Mr. Griffiths, who was at that time in charge of the Cowley pastorate, entered the United Church of Canada. Shortly afterwards he was appointed by conference to Craigville charge in the Drumheller Presbytery which he served for five years. His next appointment was to the Jarow-Kinsella pastorate where he ministered to the time of his death.

The funeral service, which was held in the Howard-McKillop funeral chapel on March 1, was in charge of the Wainwright Presbytery, and interment was made in the Edmonton cemetery.

The pallbearers were Mr. Wainwright and Mr. Smogard of Kinsella, Mr. Wainwright, Rev. J. W. Bell, Holden, Rev. D. E. Allen, Tofteld, and Rev. W. T. Young of Edmonton.

The many beautiful floral tributes were from—Loving wife and niece; Annie, Hugh and family, Vancouver, B.C.; Mrs. Kippen, Cassie and Evelyn, Calgary; St. David's Welsh Society, Edmonton; Dr. A. S. Tuttle, St. Stephen's College, Edmonton; Rev. and Mrs. Allan, Tofteld; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Eaton, Holden; The Kinsella Community; Jeanette, Chrissie and Isabel McKillop, Kinsella; the Holt family, Jarow; Jarow Board of Trade and Community Club; Jarow school children; Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Croesus, Jarow; Jarow Sunday School children; Mr. and Mrs. Barton and Pat, Jarow; Jarow Ladies Aid; R. S. Lison and family; H. A. Whidden and family; Mr. and Mrs. Harper, Donald, Douglas, Shirley, George and Edith Hart all of Jarow.

On Sunday morning, March 3rd, a memorial service, conducted by Rev. Longmire of Irma held in the Kinsella United Church was attended by a large congregation of parishioners and friends.

It can be truly said of the deceased that "He gave his best in the service of his Master." He was known and appreciated especially for his sincerity of purpose, his love for and appreciation of music and whole-hearted devotion in the ministry and service of his people and church.

Mr. Griffiths is survived by his beloved wife and to her hearts of their people and friends go out in deepest sympathy.

Hockey Notes

Since the change in the weather the first of this week it looks as though hockey has run its course for this winter as far as open air rinks are concerned.

On Saturday, March 2nd, the Irma Midgets were hosts to the Alma Mater team of the same age. This time the Irma boys evened the score with the north lads, beating the 3-1, so the report goes. In a game played some time ago at Alma Mater Irma received about the same beating. Even in the younger teams it seems that the players do better on their home ice.

Regardless of who won and how many goals were scored, the teams during the past season have all had their share of games in which they are always learning more and keeping in shape, besides the fun that goes with it. The spectators, too, have been well entertained. There are a few games yet to be played if it should turn colder.

The Holden team are still planning to come down to Irma for the third play off game if there is ice. The Viking Midget hockey team visited Irma last week and were defeated by quite a wide margin.

We hear that an extra large crowd of fans attended a play-off game on Sunday, March 3 between the Orindale and Paschenbale teams. The game was started on the Orindale ice but had to be finished on the Orindale rink owing to the soft condition of the ice. The game ended in a tie.

The Irma Juniors went to Wainwright for a game on February 29 and were defeated 5-1.

The Irma and Alma Mater Pee Wee teams again met in Irma on Saturday afternoon, March 2, and played a close game, Irma winning 2-1. J. Gulliner and D. Harper were the scorers for Irma. We do not know who scored the Alma Mater goal.

L.T.L.

February has been an enjoyable month for the Irma L.T.L. After several weeks of suspended meetings, due to sickness and quarantine conditions, the usual gatherings were resumed the third Friday in the month. The occasion was made a Valentine rally. Following the regular order of business, new game, etc. the leader taught the children how to make a novel valentine of interlaced paper hearts, each member completing one to carry home.

The last Fri. of the month, which constitutes the usual birthday meeting, was held at the home of the year. Many members brought in freshly acquired scientific facts, showing harmful effects of alcohol and tobacco. A new game and the presence of several visitors made this altogether a charming event, with one new member joining, March 1, marking a year since the local organization meeting was held. All members present made a pretty memento of the occasion in the form of a dated, decorated, non-slip-off book mark.

Mr. W. T. Steele wishes to thank all those who supported him in the recent municipal elections and insured his election as councillor of div. five.

The date was changed for the third in a series of four what drives sponsored by the Irma L.O.B.A. It will be held on Saturday evening of this week, March 9th, in the lodge hall. Everybody welcome.

Albert District News

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hardy and Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Herrick of Midburn on Sunday.

The annual meeting of the telephone subscribers was held in Orindale school on March 2nd. Mr. W. D. Ramsey will continue as president and Mr. G. Whiteley as secretary.

The Albert community rink was the scene of an hilarious broomball game on Saturday afternoon, March 2. It started out with the married ladies challenging the married men, but before the afternoon was over, practically everyone had joined in the fun. Mrs. Hardy and Mrs. Gerald Currie kept goal like veterans and were ably succeeded by Mrs. R. D. Ramsey and Mrs. McPherson. Mr. Gus Prosser was referee. No one is exactly sure of the score but the ladies claim the victory. Lunch and coffee were served to all at the close of the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Robertson visited at the home of Mrs. G. Currie recently.

Miss Jeannie Sherry of this district is one of the few who have a birthday only once in four years. She was twelve years old on February 29.

BOARD DISMISSES GRAIN CAR APPEAL

Ottawa, Feb. 27.—Board of transport commissioners for Canada made public Tuesday a dismissal of a complaint of the United Grain Growers, Limited, of Winnipeg and the Manitoba federation of agriculture against instructions from Railway Association of Canada that effective September 15 it would be impossible to supply 40-ton cars on orders for 30-ton cars, or 50-ton cars on orders for 40-ton cars.

The United Grain Growers and the federation of agriculture, at a hearing in Winnipeg last October, said the railway's ruling would impose a hardship and financial loss to western grain shippers.

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders are solicited for the job of erector mason for the North Irma Mutual Telephone Company. Applications are to be in by April 1st.

Apply to: G. M. Whiteley, Secretary-Treasurer, Fabyan, Alberta.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of "Todd" (Chas. Gordon Holt) who passed away on March 8th, 1939.

He is gone but not forgotten. And, as dawn another year. In our lonely hours of thinking. Thoughts of him are always near. Days of sadness will come o'er us. Friends may think the wound is healed.

But they little know the sorrow That lies within the hearts, concealed. Ever remembered by his loving wife and Charlie; Dad, Joe Mac, Gladys and family.

The collectors, Miss Alice Fuelling and Mrs. Pryce Jones, for the appeal of the British and Foreign Bible Society, for a New Testament to each soldier on leaving Canada for overseas, wish to thank all who contributed to the fund. The amount collected was \$16.25.

CHURCH NOTICES AND ACTIVITIES

UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, March 10
Sunday School—11 a.m.
Public worship—7:30 p.m.
Bible study and prayer Wednesday evening at 7:30.
A hearty invitation is extended to all.

FULL GOSPEL SERVICES

Sunday, March 10
Strawberry Plains—11 a.m.
Evangelist Mrs. W. Miller will be the speaker.
The services that have been held in Hedley's hall in Irma are now being held in the old hardware building with the opening service on Sunday, March 10, 3 p.m., also, 7:30 p.m., and each week night (except Thurs.) at 8 p.m. Evangelist Mrs. Miller will speak at these services.

Ross—5 p.m.
Rossberry—Tuesday, March 12, 8 p.m.
Alma Mater—Wed., March 13, 8 p.m.
Ross—Thursday, March 14, 8 p.m.

Since early in December 1939, Rev. Devrell and party have been holding gospel services in Wainwright, Irma, and several schools in outlying districts.

The services have been very well attended and interest is steadily increasing. To further this great work Mr. Devrell has secured the building on Main street formerly occupied by Mr. Fletcher hardware store in Irma and with the help of some thirty-two of his followers on March 4th, one half of the downstairs was turned into a gospel mission, benches being built, etc.

The upstairs rooms were also put in shape for living quarters. Everything is in readiness for service on Sunday, March 10, when Mrs. Miller, evangelist, will bring the message at 3 p.m. and at 7:30 p.m. This lady will also speak each week night at 8 p.m. Rev. Devrell and party are most grateful to all the friends from Ross, Strawberry Plains and Rossberry districts and the town of Irma for their help in getting things shaped up so quickly.

NOTICE

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF BATTLE RIVER, No. 423

Further to notices in the last issues in the Irma Times, as to the Prairie Farm Assistance Act (Wheat Bonus) Townships 45-9, 45-8, 46-9 and 46-8 are still not complete as to the affidavits total acreage and 1939 wheat yield, the time is getting very short, and I ask all growers that have not completed these forms to do so at once by calling in the municipal office.

Townships 45-7 and 46-7 have been completed and forwarded to Ottawa for the consideration of the minister of agriculture.

Chas. Wilbusham,
Secretary-Treasurer,
M.D. Battle River, 423.

Service will be held in St. Mary's church on Sunday, March 10 at 8:30 p.m.

STRAYED—One red 3-year-old heifer, recently dehorned, no brand; from the farm of E. T. Oldham, Irma, Sec.



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Modern Hospitalization

During the past few years a great deal of publicity has been given to the extraordinary advances which have been made in the field of medicine and surgery. Magazines and newspapers have devoted, and still are devoting, a great deal of space to new discoveries in the warfare against disease and death, to new methods and agents of immunization against communicable ailments, to new anaesthetics which are going far to-day to rob operations of their former terrors, and to new medicines and treatments that today are curing diseases which a few years ago spelled almost certain death.

Not so much, however, is being said or written of the remarkable progress which has been made in the field of hospitalization and hospital practice in the past few years, although the hospitals of the country are keeping step with the advances made in medicine, surgery and anaesthesia. It is not a far cry back to the days when the average individual shunned the hospital as a place to be avoided at all costs, when people begged the doctors not to send them to a hospital for treatment; when the kitchen table was preferred, at least for minor operations, to the facilities afforded by the operating rooms in the hospitals; when the risks of infection incurred by such treatments in the home were regarded with less fear than the unknown experiences, and often wrongly anticipated experiences, which were expected in the hospitals.

To whatever extent such fears and alarms at the prospects of a sojourn in the hospital may or may not have been warranted in the past, there is certainly no need for them to-day. There is no justification for dread at the necessity for making a stay in the modern hospital, such as is to be found ministering to the sick and injured, not only in the larger centres of population, but even in many of the smaller towns.

The Patient First

The care and attention that is given the patient in the up-to-date hospital is beyond reproach. The service is invariably excellent. The rigid precautions taken to prevent infection in the operating room and the wards could scarcely be improved upon, and cross-infection to-day is almost unknown in the isolation hospitals. Every precaution is taken to ensure quietude for the patient for whom quiet is essential for speedy recovery, and patients are treated with sympathy by the entire staff, including supervisors, nurses, probationers, internes, orderlies and maids.

There are, of course, at all times, in the hospitals, patients who are fractious and cantankerous. This, however, is to be expected, when it is remembered that the patient, perhaps, is not a normal person, but even these cases are sympathetically treated and their whims and petulances are catered to as far as is reasonably possible and to the extent that it may not be injurious for them.

"The patient is the first consideration, and must at all times be given the utmost consideration." That appears to be the slogan in the well run hospital of to-day, and it might be added in parenthesis, most of the hospitals in Western Canada are being operated on a highly efficient basis.

One of the many phases of hospital administration which has shown marked improvement in recent years is the dietary. When patients have reached that stage in their recovery from sickness or an operation that they may be safely put on full diet, they find their meal trays well laden with well-cooked foods in great variety, served in tempting form and in ample quantity. The preparation of these meals is under the guidance of an expert dietitian who balances the calories and measures out the vitamins essential to good nourishment and the needs of the patient.

Chances Improved

Much of this improvement in hospital technique as well as in equipment and standard in Western Canada is due to the action of the administrative boards in subjecting their institutions to annual inspection and rating of the American College of Surgeons. When a few of the larger hospitals adopted this policy some years ago it was not long before the others followed suit and the large percentage of Western Canadian hospitals that year in and year out are awarded the highest possible rating, speaks volumes for the earnestness with which the governing bodies and the medical and lay staffs accept recommendations and adopt improvements as rapidly as circumstances and finances permit.

And so the day is past when the hospital need be shunned by the sick and the injured. Rather, it is an institution to be courted by those who have need of its services. Indeed, the chances of a speedy recovery from illness or accident are much greater to-day in the Western Canadian hospital than a few years ago and very much greater than in the home.

Thomas Jefferson, third president of the United States, smuggled the first rice seed from South Carolina, and then initiated the south's rice-growing industry.



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A Very Old Skeleton

Elephant's Bones Elicate If Weight of Over Eight Tons

The skeleton of a prehistoric elephant nearly 16 feet long and 12 feet tall, has been put on exhibition in the Paleontological Museum in Odessa, Russia. It is estimated that the monster lived 300,000 years ago and weighed at least eight tons.

The skeleton was found recently standing upright in the sands of the Khajibayev estuary on the Black Sea coast.

Three patrons are served by the smallest telephone company in the world. The company operates a line in Shasta county, California.

The war would seem to have added one permanent figure of speech to our language, namely, to fight like a Finn.

A little town in the province of Limburg, Holland, is called America.

United States plans to build 77 additional warships

Had Same Honor Twice

Ottawa Man Helped Draw Gun Carriage At Notable Funerals

Thirty-nine years ago as a young naval rating, Lieut.-Commander E. Haines, now at naval headquarters in Ottawa, helped man the gun carriage carrying the body of Queen Victoria in the funeral procession after the horses broke away from the carriage.

He was second in command of the 60 ratings of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve who pulled the naval gun carriage taking Lord Tweedsmuir's body from St. Andrew's Presbyterian church to the Union Station as the last act in the state funeral. The unit was under Commander J. W. R. Roy of the Royal Canadian Navy.

Lieut.-Commander Haines was one of the 100 naval ratings in the Queen Victoria funeral procession who were ordered, on King Edward VII's approval, to pull the gun carriage from Windsor Station to St. George's chapel and then to Windsor Castle after the accident.

Frightened by the drums as the gun carriage was being pulled away from Windsor Station, the horses leaped forward, breaking the traces and leading to considerable confusion. The naval ratings went into action a few minutes later, however, and manned the gun carriage successfully.

Diet On Submarine

Have Delicacies Not Supplied To Men On Surface Ships

A dish of tinned prawns for supper on the bottom of the Heligoland is one of the oddities of naval warfare. Victualing for the crews of the submarine services includes a large number of delicacies which are not in the messing of surface ships.

The reason is health. The men get no normal exercise for the 17 or more days they are on patrol. Many of them do not see the sky the whole time. Consequently they lose their appetite, and the provision of delicacies is intended to tempt them to eat. Moreover, their diet for the whole time they are away is carefully drawn up to give balanced nourishment.

The victualing department at the Admiralty has another wartime problem—the provision of stores for ships working far from the normal bases of supply. There has also been the question of dispersal of stocks to prevent total interference with the Navy's rations in the event of severe air attack. A number of supply ships have been taken over, fitted with refrigerating plant, to serve vessels in out-of-the-way places.—Manchester Guardian.

SELECTED RECIPES

DIVINITY FUDGE

1/2 cup Bee Hive White Corn Syrup
1/2 cup cold water
2 cups white sugar
2 egg whites
1 teaspoon vanilla
Few grains salt

Cook syrup, water and sugar together until it forms a firm ball in cold water. Beat egg whites with salt until stiff, and gradually add hot syrup. Add vanilla and beat until thick. Variations: broken walnuts, dry cherries, chopped candied ginger, etc. Turn on buttered pan.

FRUIT SYMPHONY

1 package Lemon or Lime Jell-O
1 cup hot water
1 cup fruit juices and water
Dash of salt
2 cups diced grapefruit (sections free from membrane)
1/2 cup diced orange (sections free from membrane)
1/2 cup canned crushed pineapple. Dissolve Jell-O in hot water. Add fruit juices and water and salt. Chill. When slightly thickened, fold in fruit. Turn into individual molds. Chill until firm. Unmold. Serve plain or garnish with whipped cream and orange sections. Serves 8.

The state game department of the state of Idaho uses airplanes to drop salt over the countryside in the winter, to keep deer and elk healthy.

Thermometers need be marked no lower than 50 degrees F. in Honduras.

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No People Ever Came Through Bitter Ordeal With Finer Record

The Finnish people, as well as the Finnish armies, have given a performance that entitles them to receive promptly, and not merely at the convenience of others, such help as the outside world is prepared to give them, whether that help takes the form of loans for "non-munitions", munitions themselves, volunteers or contributions for relief.

No people ever came through a bitter ordeal with a finer record. From the start, they faced the fact that the longer their armies fought and the more damage they did to the prestige of the invader, the more terrible would be their punishment in defeat. They have not let that prospect rob them of their courage. They have not lost their fire or their self-restraint.

To the bravery of their own troops they have responded with quiet sacrifice. To the cheap taunts and the vicious slander of the Kremlin they have replied with dignity. To the outside world they have given an example of democracy as every democrat must hope to find it in the hour of its trial: resourceful, self-reliant, generous, determined. The example humbles those who are forced to wonder whether their own faith could meet this cruel test.—New York Times.

Vital As Heligoland

Island Of Sylt Is Germany's Important Naval Base

The London correspondent of the Ottawa Journal, says:

Everybody knew all about Heligoland, Germany's famous base in the last war. Nobody outside Service circles knew anything about Sylt when this war started; yet Sylt, Germany's biggest island outside the Baltic, is just as vital from a naval and air standpoint now as Heligoland was formerly.

Forty miles north of Heligoland, Sylt is about 40 miles in extent, and is fitted up as a comprehensive air and naval base. Germany's mine-layers and bomb-carriers are launched from this island, which possesses A. A. defences, underground hangars and is connected with the mainland by the Hindenburg Dam, constructed at the cost of many millions at a time when we were asked to sympathize with an impoverished Germany, quite unable to meet her financial obligations.

The importance of Sylt is recognized by our naval and air people. Its civilian population, numbering 6,000, had been evacuated on September 2. If the Hindenburg Dam were badly broken, it would inconvenience German supplies to the island.

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It is estimated that when the war gets into full swing and men now in factories are called to the colors, there will be 85 women for every 100 men working in England. Of the 22,638,000 jobs, 10,449,000 will be filled by female workers.

In Use For Century

In drilling a salt well near Centerville, Pa., in 1840, John Crievel struck natural gas at a depth of 700 feet. This marked the beginning of the use of natural gas for industrial purposes in the United States.

Something new on the market is an ordinary cough drop whose centre consists of liquid cough medicine.

Most sprinters run the 100-yard dash without breathing.

The ready witted answer usually resembles a night telegram—it doesn't arrive until tomorrow morning.

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THE RIVER OF SKULLS

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WNU SERVICE

CHAPTER XIV.—Continued

Two days later, when the early November dusk hung in the spruce forest of the terraces below the Morning Gorge, the dog team pulling the sled load of frozen meat angled down off the tundra, and followed the ice-hard trail through the scrub to the camp. The absence of two days had seemed long to Alan, accompanied by the memory of Heather's kisses and her circling arms.

As they approached the tents from the rear, the dogs broke into a trot and Alan called, "Hello there!" There was no response. No flicker of light from the supper fire in front of the men's tent stabbed the murk of the circling spruce.

"They must have been hunting back on the barren and are late reaching camp," suggested Alan. As the team neared the tents, Noel's black brows knotted. His apprehensive eyes wandered back and forth, striving to pierce the gloom. Suddenly the dogs became disturbed, sniffing the air and whining.

"By gar, something happen here!" whispered the Indian. "Eet look very strange!"

Tortured by fear of what ghastly discovery the dusk-dimmed camp concealed, Alan approached the tents. Again he called: "John! Heather! Are you there?"

The sound of stertorous breathing and a muffled moan answered from the dusk-shrouded tents. "God! Did you hear that? Something's happened! Heather! Heather!" he cried. "Where are you?"

They reached the camp and stood staring around them in the gloom. "Heather!" cried the agonized Cameron, groping in her tent to find her personal belongings strewn upon the spruce boughs of the floor. He rushed outside to join Noel, crouching beside the body of John McCord in the men's tent.

"John! John! What have they done to you?" cried the shocked Cameron, throwing off the skin robe that covered the still shape breathing heavily on the bough floor. "Light a candle, Noel, quick!" he ordered as he searched with trembling fingers for wounds, while his tortured heart was calling: "Heather! What have they done to you?"

Noel held the candle while Cameron pushed back McCord's hood. Across the giant's mop of yellow hair ran the blood-red scar of a grazing bullet, but a large calibred slug had entered his back.

"Shot in the lungs with a 45! That's McQueen, Noel, not the Naskapi. They would have looted the camp—taken the tents! McQueen's got Heather, Noel! They've got Heather!" Alan sobbed.

"Dey got her?" sighed the Indian. "But we get her soon, neavire fere!"

"He crawled in here to die when they left," said Alan. "How long ago did this happen?"

"Eet might be late sleep, but eet look lak dis morning to me."

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They cleaned and dressed the wounds in McCord's head and back, and carried him into Heather's tent where they started a fire in the folding stove. But they knew that John McCord would never again see his daughter. While the life ebbed slowly from the man who had toiled so long only to find a grave on the shore of the River of Skulls, they made their plans for pursuit.

Shortly there was a moon and Noel went out and found the trail of a toboggan sled heading to the river, with the prints of moosehooves. They were not the bear-paw prints of the Naskapi but the longer webs of the Cree shoe worn on the East Coast.

There was no doubt. At last McQueen had struck!

Gradually the wound sapped the enormous strength and vitality of the man who lay unconscious. Toward dawn he opened his eyes and seemed to recognize Alan who knelt beside him.

"Heather, John! Was she hurt?" Alan asked.

The dying man's lips framed the word "No!"

"It was McQueen, John?"

After a period of labored breathing came the gasped words: "McQueen—got—Heather!"

Then a grimace of pain knotted the bearded white face. Shortly McCord again opened his lips and essayed to speak. Alan bent closer as he held the limp hand of his friend.

"Shot me—but—I got—two!" Alan heard faintly. "Heather—she loves—you! Alan! Poor—Heather!"

"I love Heather, John! Do you hear me? I love her!"

For an instant McCord's strength returned. Again in his eyes flashed the blue of the washed bergs as his fingers closed on Alan's.

"Hunt them! Hunt them!" he gasped hoarsely. "They've got my girl—my girl! Hunt them—got—Heather—yours!"

"We'll hunt them, John! We'll get her! I promise you we'll get her!" The bitter dawn streaked the leaden-faced east when, numb with shock Alan left his friend, groped out of the tent and, like a man in a dream, prepared to take McQueen's trail.

When it grew light it became evident, from the newly broken trail in the spruce and the empty gold cache that for some reason McCord had brought the eight bags of gold from the secret cache and McQueen had found them at the camp. But to the food caches the snow lay unmarked.

There the boys took the team and loaded the sled. McQueen had got the ambush. Boyette, shot with the ambush, McCord's automatic. Everywhere the snow was trampled down where the mortally wounded giant had fought for Heather and his gold. Then, back in the spruce, the dogs found a Montagnais shot through the body with a 45.

"Dat een wan we see on de Talking Riviere! John do good job on heem."

"Shot in the back and weak as he must have been," said Alan, proudly, "he fought it out to the last! They must have left him for dead."

"Now we've got three, maybe four men ahead of us, with Heather, Noel. They won't dare to try for Chimo with the gold. They'll head up the Kokosuk."

Before they covered the body of John McCord with a cairn of boulders heavy enough to cheat the wolverines, standing beside the dead man in his hooded parka, Alan said: "Your hand, Noel!"

Noel reached across the body of their friend and took Alan's hand. With their left hands they held the huffs of their knives against their foreheads in consummation of

the ancient oath of the Montagnais as, followed by Noel, Alan solemnly recited:

"We, Alan Cameron and Noel Le-loup, blood brothers, swear that we will follow McQueen until we meet him face to face and make him pay. Sleep well, John McCord and Noel! Your friends will not forget!"

They placed the body of John McCord beside that of Napayo and covered it with the stones, for the ground was frozen too hard to admit of digging. The personal belongings that Heather had been forced to leave behind, together with her tent, they added to the sled already loaded with food and outfit, lashed down the skin wrapper, and started the impatient Ungavars on their 400-mile race up the frozen Kokosuk. As they reached the river ice, Alan stopped and faced the graves on the terrace above them. Flailing his mittened hand in farewell, he called:

"Good-by, John! We'll get her! Rough and Noel and I'll get her, John! Good-by, partner!"

It was 400 up-hill miles to the cache at the headwaters, and, tempted as Alan was to risk starvation and follow McQueen night and day with a light sled until he overtook him, it would have been sheer madness in a gameless country. For Heather's sake as well as their own, it was necessary to carry sufficient food for men and dogs to reach the high plateau. Gradually, the powerful Ungavars, well fed, would wear down the fleeing team ahead with its light load. For it was evident from McQueen's trail that, together with the gold, he was not carrying enough food to reach the head of the river where he probably had a cache.

"They've got forty or fifty miles start on us, Noel," said Alan, bitterly, "but the four Ungavars threw their weight into their collars and the long toboggan creaked off over the river ice with its heavy load."

"They're been lashing their dogs to get a big lead and shake us off."

"Ah-hah!" answered the tight-lipped Indian. "But some day dey come back to dese fellers." He nodded at the shaggy huskies and their black leader pacing at the heels of the hurrying men.

"It'll be a long race if they still have the six dogs they brought from Fort George," thought Cameron, tortured by the thought of Heather's agony at being torn from her father's dear despair.

"More dog you got, more flesh you mus' carry or dey starve. Before manee day Rough and de pup wen run dem off dere feet. Den way we see starve dog on de trail—den more starve dog. An' wen our sled grow more light from good feed of our dog, we run—run all day. Dat Rough weel eat up de snow. You see! Dey eat dere dog now wille we save ours."

"I know our four dogs are better than their six," agreed the broken Alan, "but I can't bear to think of her with McQueen. I'd like to take a week's grub and travel night and day until we reached her!"

"Den we starve before we see de

head of rivier—and Heather starve, also."

"You're right. This load will slow us down at first but we'll soon start to gain. They'll run their dogs ragged trying to reach their cache and get away."

"We get dem soon!"

(To Be Continued.)

Eskimo Relics

More Information Being Gleaned About His Northern Race

More and more we are becoming acquainted with the early history of Canada, and learning something of the lives and habits of those who peopled the land long before the European settlers arrived, long before the Norsemen travelled south from Hudson Bay.

Of all the aboriginal people, perhaps we know least about the Eskimos, or how far south they dwell. We think of them mainly as a peaceful race, who lived in igloos, paddled in kayaks, feasting upon the fish of the sea, fond of blubber which warmed their bodies and gave them oil for their lamps. It is the impression we have of those northern residents and we have received that impression from books of travel and adventure.

But there is a good deal more to be learnt about them, and a story carried to newspapers by the Canadian press a short time ago, makes clear that the early history of Canada has yet to tell us some interesting things that have not yet been written.

Six ancient lances, believed by authoritative persons to have been carved by Eskimos, have been unearthed at the little hamlet of Havre St. Pierre, on the Saguenay coast, on the Lower St. Lawrence.

The lances, measuring about 20 inches in length and all in perfect condition, were dug up by Paul Cormier, a coastal fisherman, in his little garden at Havre. Five of the lances are carved from slate stone, while the sixth was made from quartz.

That shows that the Eskimos either lived farther south than they do now, or that they made forays into the countries of their more southerly neighbors, the Indians.

By the way, the spelling of the name has changed in recent years and the change has been almost universally accepted. We used to spell it with a "q" instead of an "k". Thus we spoke of the Esquimaux or the Esquimaux. Perhaps it will be changed to something else some day. Possibly the Eskimos were much more populous than they are to-day, as were the Indians. At the last census the Eskimo population was placed at 5,979.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

ADVERSITY

Difficulties are things that show what men are.—Epictetus.

Adversity is sometimes hard upon a man: but for one man who can stand prosperity there are a hundred that will stand adversity.—Caryle.

Adversity reminds men of religion.—Livy.

Step by step will those who trust Him find that "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble."—Mary Baker Eddy.

Bad times have a scientific value. These are occasions a good learner would not miss.—Emerson.

If aught can teach us aught, Affliction's looks, (Making us pry into ourselves so near), Teach us to know ourselves, beyond all books.

Or all the learned schools that ever were.—Sir John Davies.

Tribute To Fleet

American Paper Refers To The Silent Pressure Of Sea Power

The New York Herald Tribune paid tribute to the "silent pressure of sea power" being waged against Germany by the "men from Plymouth and Portsmouth and Bristol and the Thames."

In an editorial prompted by the arrival at Plymouth of the cruiser Exeter, one of the cruisers which defeated the German pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee off Montevideo, the newspaper said the Exeter, with the Ajax and the Achilles, "has fulfilled the tradition once again, and reminded the world that the British Navy is still there."

"It may be hackneyed, but one cannot help quoting Mahan's famous line again: 'Thou art distant, storm-beaten ships, upon which the Grand Army never looked, stood between it and the dominion of the world.'"

A Munich professor has taught fish to respond intelligently to sounds and colors.

MR. CAFFEINE-NERVES IS BLUE-PENCILLED

EDITOR: (to reporter) Never knew it to fall — my nerves as jumpy as a kangaroo and along comes the biggest story of the year!

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MR. CAFFEINE-NERVES: Go way, Cub—he's a sick man!

EDITOR: Say—you really had something there! I've been drinking Postum for a month and I feel so good I should be in the Sports Department!

MR. CAFFEINE-NERVES: It's deadline for me when Postum comes on the scene!

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LOCALS

The department of agriculture has recommended vaccination of horses again this spring. Will all those interested in vaccine order at once at the Drug Store, phone 7.

About forty relatives and friends staged a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Halvorsen on the occasion of Mr. Halvorsen's birthday, February 29th which only comes around once in four years. Counting the birthdays he has had, Mr. Halvorsen is only a very young man yet. He is not sure yet whether he is lucky or otherwise only having a birthday once in four years. However a real enjoyable time was had playing games throughout the evening.

The next meeting of the Irma Local Social Credit group will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fen-ton on Tuesday, March 12 at the usual hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Gar Coulman and family returned from the coast this week.

Mr. Edwin Sanders took in a three day course at a tractor school in Edmonton recently. He was accompanied to the city by Mrs. Sanders, Miss Sarah Fitzpatrick and Miss Rena Fen-ton.

Guard against sick horses this summer by ordering your vaccine at your own drug store.

Mrs. Osterhout received word of the serious illness of her friend, Mrs. Douglas, in Edmonton. She motored to the city on Sunday, returning on Monday.

Mr. Wilfred Sanders motored to Edmonton last Tuesday, taking his mother and Mrs. Geo. Baicheler who are delegates to the W.A. convention.

Mr. Masson was a business visitor in the city on Monday.

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Mrs. T. Dykes motored down from Edmonton on Saturday evening to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Coffin, and other relatives. She returned to the city on Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Deverill and Mr. Hartly motored to Edmonton and outlying points last Monday, returning on Thursday. Miss Christensen of Westlock returned with them and will help with the music at the gospel services.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cook on Wednesday, February 28, a son. Mrs. Cook and young son are being cared for at the home of Mrs. Orfan and are reported as both fine.

Mrs. Roy Askin spent the most of last week visiting friends in Edmonton.

Mrs. R. L. Zimmerman is in Edmonton this week as delegate to the Women's Missionary Society, Alberta branch, meeting being held in the McDougall United Church.

The regular March meeting of the Irma Ladies Aid will be held Thursday afternoon, March 14, at the home of Mrs. Arnold, and all members are reminded that the answer to the roll call calls for a dish towel. The stock of dish towels for use in the church kitchen at supper is practically nil.

IRMA LEGION SIGNALS ORDERS

The Irma Legion Signal Cadet Corps will parade at 20.00 hours on the evening of March 12th, at the Legion Hall, Irma.

Wireless classes from 20.00 hours until 20.45 hours.

Flag and rifle drill from 21.00 hours to 21.00 hours.

Orderly Cadet for the week, Cadet Geoff Inklin.

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KINSELLA KERNELS

Mr. and Mrs. Young of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Arkinstall, Miss Belle Arkinstall and Mr. O. Watson were local visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kapler left for Edmonton last week where they will take up residence.

Mrs. D. R. Borthwick of the Overleigh district is visiting with friends in Innisfree.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ehlers and Irene spent Sunday afternoon visiting the home of Mrs. Ehlers' parents Mr. and Mrs. Nichols of the Loughheed district.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Corbett left for Edmonton by car on Saturday.

Mr. B. Wachter spent the week-end at his home in Kinsella.

Mrs. A. Szanski left for Edmonton Saturday evening to see Jimmy who is in the hospital there recovering from a mastoid operation.

Mr. Bert Carpenter was home for the week end from school in Viking.

Marion Williams is in the Viking hospital recovering from an appendicitis operation.

Mr. Ludwig Jackowick was home for a short visit on Saturday from the city.

Mr. Steve Bilo arrived home Saturday evening from Chauvin where he is now working.

To remove feathers from ducks, first pick them dry. This leaves a down all over the skin. To remove the down, wring out a large cloth in boiling water and wrap it around the duck for five minutes. Remove the cloth and the down can be wiped off easily with a dry cloth.

"Canada and the Allies are at war today because it has become clear to all the world that falsehood and treachery are a vital part of the Nazi code and that a situation in which no country could feel safe must once for all time be ended."—C. F. Sise.

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This madness never gripped the minds of the ancients.

The latest evidence about the high importance in which the international trade was held by the ancients, is furnished in a recent biography — written by the eminent historian Mme. Tabouis—of Nebuchadnezzar, the great Chaldean King, who lived some 500 years before Christ. Nebuchadnezzar, we are told, toiled unceasingly to bring a great flow into Babylon of the goods of India, Persia and Arabia, that is of gold, precious stones, tin, sandalwood, spices and cochineal dyes—which the ladies of Babylon so loved—all to be exchanged for wheat, oil, wine, pottery, saffron, iron, bronze and purple cloths, the products of Chaldea.

"These exchanges" said the great King Nebuchadnezzar, "would make Babylon a city of merchants, and so the wealth of the world would be available to enrich the people of Chaldea." For encouraging this foreign trade King Nebuchadnezzar established in Babylon a great market at which the wealth of the world could be exchanged, and where the consumers of the world could meet.

Madame Fontaine, palmist of Edmonton, will be in Irma at Jimmy's Cafe (Jimmy Pon) March 19-20; in Kinsella at the Kinsella Hotel March 21.

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